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MUSICAL.

HERR HEINRICH SOHRER,
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From Montreal, just arrived, and will reside for a permanency in Victoria. For terms, etc., address Hotel Driard, where he may be seen daily. dec29

EDUCATIONAL.

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A PRIVATE AND HIGH CLASS BOARDING SCHOOL
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Private tuition for candidates preparing for examinations. Kane street, next above Blanchard. jan7

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE.--An established Hotel business with a paying trade, centrally situated, within [illegible] of the Post Office. A good [illegible] for a good man with [illegible] [illegible] particulars, "Hotel," Times office.

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WANTED--Girls to wait on table. Apply at the Occidental Hotel. feb7

WANTED--A Nursemaid. Apply to Mrs. D. R. Harris, James Bay. feb7

WANTED--Steady employment in a warehouse, store, office or any similar occupation by a steady, respectable young man. First-class references. Address "Warehouse," Box 601, City. jan31 2w

IF YOU WANT Domestics, Farm hands, Labourers, Mechanics, Cooks, Waiters, etc., or any kind of labour done, call at the B. C. E. Bureau, PICKERING & Co., Fort St. Telephone 21. oc29

TO RENT.

TO RENT.--Two Front Rooms, furnished, Bedroom and Sitting Room, in the pleasantest part of the city; also use of kitchen if required. Address "Apartments," TIMES office. Feb1 6t

FOR RENT.--A four-roomed House, 20 minutes' walk from Post Office, with Outbuildings complete, will rent furnished or unfurnished. Apply to [illegible], [illegible] Road, Victoria West. jan31 2w

FOR RENT.--One or two Rooms to let at Denny's, over Victoria House; splendid light; entrance to rooms in sight at head of stairs. Also Room on ground floor, 12x18, in rear of the Victoria House, entrance Broad street; suitable for sample or work room. Apply to jan31 tf WM. DENNY.

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FOR SALE.--A Farm of 100 acres in South Saanich, [illegible] acres of which are under cultivation; buildings ordinary. The Saanich road runs through it. Is ten miles from the city. Also, a team of Draught Horses, Harness and Wagon; a Boat, with sails and rigging complete. All at a great bargain. Apply to J. C. McKenzie, Esquimalt Road, or Victoria P.O. feb8

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FOR SALE--A first-class Fire-Box Boiler. Can be seen at the residence of Capt. Pamphlet, David street, Rock Bay. jan31 lm

TEAS, WINES AND SPIRITS.

JOHN BOYD,
IMPORTER AND WHOLESALE DEALER
in Teas, Wines and Spirits. Finest Scotch Whiskies, specially selected for their excellent qualities, are unsurpassed in the Province. P. O. 482 YATES STREET. feb1 mly

PHYSICIANS.

DRS. HALL & HALL,
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Special attention given to diseases of the Throat, Chest and Skin. J. L. HALL, M.D., C.M. | Special attention given to diseases of the Eye and Ear. F. W. HALL, M. D., C. M.
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MEETINGS TO BE HELD.

ST. ANDREWS and CALEDONIAN Society meets in their hall, Broughton street, between Government and Broad streets, on the FIRST FRIDAY of every month. All Scotchmen are invited to join. sep 1-ly WILLIAM SCOTT, Secretary

AN ENTERTAINMENT IS GIVEN AT TEMPERANCE Hall every Saturday evening. Good Temperance speakers and Musical Selections, with Recitations, forming a good programme. The Blue Ribbon Band will be in attendance. All are cordially invited. Chair taken at 7:30 o'clock precisely. R. GRAY, President.

ANYONE Can earn from two to five dollars a day by soliciting subscribers for the New Ladies' Domestic Magazine to be published in January. It is the best household paper in Canada, subscription only $1, per year; bound to sell. The publishers are determined to secure a circulation of 50,000 to start with, and will send the Magazine for a whole year and a valuable present for 25c. Just think of it, this offer remains good for 60 days only. Address
ADELBERT MILES, Business Manager,
jan 13-D&W STANSTEAD, P. Q.

LEGISLATIVE NOTES.

The House on Monday was occupied until the adjournment in disposing of motions and questions, which had accumulated on the order paper during the debate on the address. The leader of the government was not present, but the volatile Secretary and the flexible Attorney succeeded in answering the inquisitors without imparting the desired information.

The proceedings were flat, stale and unprofitable. The member for Nanaimo failed to relieve the monotony with one of his characteristic ebullitions of spontaneous eloquence, while the junior member for Victoria, self-constituted leader of the left centre, searched the columns of THE TIMES for a grievance, and found it not.

Mr. HIGGINS moved for a special return of all expenses in connection with the government house since confederation. The information sought for is contained in the public accounts but the mover would not take the trouble to collect it. The motion was allowed to pass by the Provincial Secretary, who evinced a praiseworthy desire to help the ambitious legislator to "do something" and so give him a coveted opportunity to spread himself. But the same gentleman's question, directing attention to the storage of powder, did not fare so well. The rule of the House regulating questions by members prohibits statements of fact, and on Mr. Speaker's attention being called to the wording of Mr. HIGGINS' inquiry, it was ruled out of order. The member for Esquimalt could see hair-splitting in the ruling of the chair, but failed to discern ignorance of parliamentary practice on the part of the question. A tyro in the House, without any previous training to fit him for the work, who aspires to front ranks, is almost certain to make himself appear ridiculous.

The Hon. J. ROBSON laid a statement of expenditures and revenues for the past six months before the House. Deficit for that time, $136,212.67! Financial bankruptcy is staring the province in the face, and still the supporters of the government cling to their idols and will vote them through thick and thin!

Another Deficit.

The public accounts for the past year ending 31st of last December, an abstract statement of which is herewith published reveal a startling state of affairs. In the summary of expenditure and receipts the former exceeds the latter by $136,212.67. The balance sheet for the same period is also published. In the assets is embraced the sum of $1,128.62 alleged to be due from Washington Territory, and perfectly valueless for it can never be recovered. The sum of $511.52 is also claimed to be due by late collectors. These sums have been appearing from year to year as available assets, but practically they are worthless. The balance sheet also shows that the overdraft at the Bank of British Columbia on the 31st of last December was $309,728.08. We recommend our readers to peruse the following for themselves:

EXPENDITURE.

Summary of expenditure for the half-year ended 31st December, 1886:

SERVICE.	EXPENDITURE
Public debt	$ 36,161 [illegible]
Civil government (salaries)	[illegible]
Administration of justice (salaries)	22,008 [illegible]
Legislation	4,919 [illegible]
Public institutions (maintenance)	4,093 [illegible]
Hospitals and charities	7,688 [illegible]
Administration of justice (other than salaries)	25,085 06
Education	48,840 21
Transport	2,608 [illegible]
Rent	24 25
Revenue services	2,045 41
Public Works:	
Works and buildings	19,701 44
Government House, Victoria	1,594 52
Roads, streets, bridges and wharves	128,114 65
Surveys	1,860 20
Miscellaneous	17,031 44
Total	$358,042 01

REVENUE FOR THE HALF YEAR ENDED 31st DEC. 1886:

Return of revenue collected and brought to account at the Treasury, from 1st July to 31st December, 1886:

RECEIPTS.	TOTAL.
Dominion of Canada:--	
Half-yearly payment of interest	$ 14,575 59
Do. Subsidy	17,500 00
Do. Grant per capita	24,000 00
Do. for Lands conveyed	50,000 00
Land Sales	21,871 25
" Revenue	4,084 05
Rents (exclusive of Land)	85 00
" (Timber Leases)	5,280 00
" (Ferries)	20 00
Free Miners' Certificates	7,285 00
Mining Receipts, General	2,521 [illegible]
Licenses	13,950 00
Fines, Forfeitures and Fees	3,224 [illegible]
Assay Fees	178 50
Sale of Government Property	164 20
Reimbursements in aid	[illegible]
Miscellaneous Receipts	419 [illegible]
Marriage Licenses	665 00
Arrears, Real Estate Tax (1 per cent.) 1885-86	45 70
Real Property Tax	1,735 81
Personal Property Tax	2,1-2 [illegible]
Income Tax	11 25
Wild Land Tax	673 [illegible]
Tax Sale Deeds	10 00
Revenue Service (Refunds)	22 50
Printing Office Receipts	822 45
Supreme Court Probate Fees	471 [illegible]
Registry Fees	5,080 [illegible]
Interest	19 21
Survey Fees	10 00
Road Tax (arrears)	9 [illegible]
Real Estate Tax Redemption	9 [illegible]
Interest on Investment of Sinking Fund	99 85
Law Stamps	1,387 64
Provincial Revenue Tax	10,062 10
Asylum for Insane	20 00
	$221,829 34
Shortage of receipts over expenditure for six months	$136,212 67

BALANCE SHEET

Of the Province of British Columbia, as per Treasury accounts, for the half-year ended 31st December, 1886:

DR. ASSETS.	
Dominion government Sec. 2, Terms of Union	$ 585,023 40
Sinking fund loan, 1877, (invested in London)	116,893 54
Sinking fund loan, 1874, deposited in Bank of British Columbia	5,160 73
British Columbia Loan Trustees, balance in their hands	7,314 72
Cache Creek boarding school	1,068 [illegible]
Dominion government	44 [illegible]
The government of the Territory of Washington	1,128 62
Bank of British Columbia, special deposit by Ainsworth & Co., as guarantee for Columbia & Kootenay Railway and Transportation Co.	25,000 00
M. B. Moresby, Superintendent of Police, advance account	329 [illegible]
Provincial Secretary, advance acc't	1,466 [illegible]
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, advance account	600 00
E. B. Pope, Superintendent of Education, advance account	[illegible]
	$762,223 02

BALANCE DUE BY AGENTS AND COLLECTORS, VIZ.:

Brought forward	$762,223 02
C. Warwick, sub-Acct., New Westminster	$1,580 [illegible]
A. W. Vowell, sub-accountant, Kootenay	4,112 [illegible]
John Bowron, sub-accountant, Cariboo	[illegible]
F. Hussey, sub-accountant, Lytton	[illegible]
Wm. Dodd, sub-accountant, Kamloops	[illegible]
G. C. Tunstall, sub-acc'nt, Similkameen	250 [illegible]
F. Soues, sub-accountant, Clinton	21 [illegible]
M. Bray, sub-acct. Nanaimo	13 [illegible]
J. L. Crimp, do Cassiar	107 [illegible]
W. Dewdney, do Okanagan	637 [illegible]
H. Nicholson, Collector, Osoyoos	102 [illegible]
C. A. Vernon, late Collector Okanagan	200 [illegible]
John Glasgow, late Collector Spences's Bridge	220 [illegible]
	8,222 [illegible]
Cash balance on hand at Treasury	2,580 [illegible]
Province of British Columbia, being liabilities over assets	3[illegible],277 01
	$1,107,202 82

CR. LIABILITIES.	
British Columbia loan (Act 1873) bearing 7 per cent. interest payable at Victoria	$ [illegible]
British Columbia loan (Act 1877) bearing 6 per cent interest, payable in London	727,200 00
Bank of British Columbia, account current	309,728 08
Deposits (intestate estates, etc.)	24,[illegible] 60
Island Railway lands (47 Vic., chap. 14)	6,605 31
Columbia & Kootenay Railway and Transportation Co.	25,000 00
BALANCE DUE TO AGENTS AND COLLECTORS, VIZ.:	
John Clapperton	$435 [illegible]
H. Fry	4 [illegible]
A. Graham	[illegible]
J. Pautz	2 [illegible]
	521 [illegible]
	$1,107,202 82

J. McB. SMITH, Auditor.
ALFRED FLETT, Deputy Treasurer.

Port Angeles a Port of Entry.

A Washington dispatch of the 27th January states that the committee on commerce authorized Senator Dolph to favorably report the bill to establish a sub port of entry and port of call at Port Angeles, W. T.

The Reward of True Merit.

The unprecedented sale of *Boschee's German Syrup* within a few years, has astonished the world. It is without doubt the safest and best remedy ever discovered for the speedy and effectual cure of Coughs, Colds and the severest Lung troubles. It acts on an entirely different principle from the usual prescriptions given by Physicians, as it does not dry up a Cough and leave the disease still in the system, but on the contrary removes the cause of the trouble, heals the parts affected and leaves them in a purely healthy condition. A bottle kept in the house for use when the diseases make their appearance, will save doctor's bills and a long spell of serious illness. A trial will convince you of these facts. It is positively sold by all druggists and general dealers in the land. Price, 75 cts., large bottles.

BEECHER ON HANGING.

Should Women Receive the Extreme Penalty of the Law.

Hanging a Woman an Impressive Spectacle--Private Executions.

In Beecher's letter to the press dated Brooklyn, 19th ult., (being one of a series which he is contributing to the American and Canadian press, under a copyright) he asks the question, "Should women be hanged? Why not? There are many as well fitted for it as men. I do not see any reason why they should be denied the rights of the gallows! In all the developments of the ages there is nothing more dramatic and admirable than the march of women from their Oriental degradation to their modern eminence. They were slaves, ignorant, ministers of pleasure, degraded and degrading. They are now risen to eminence for refinement, virtue, social and religious influence. Feeble tapers in the household, they were forbidden to let their light shine beyond its precincts. Now the light is at liberty to stream abroad as far as it can reach. All the way up from the age when they were but the plaything of the household their right of development has been contested. It would almost seem as if religion and morality had set themselves to keep woman in the physiological sphere. Their emancipation and moral development have taken from them no delicacy, no refinement. It has not been a strife to convert women into men, but to develop womanhood into its full disclosure. They were women in bud; they are women in blossom. They cannot be deprived of the essential quality of womanhood by enlargement of their sphere by any degree of intellectual culture, by any normal function. There is

NOT THE SLIGHTEST DANGER

that delicacy, grace, alluring affection, domesticity and all the charms of motherhood will be lost by unfolding in intelligence, publicity and variety in occupation. If a man has a right to preach, so has a woman; to write, so has a woman; to teach, so has a woman; to conduct a farm or a commercial business, so has a woman. If it is right for a man to enter the functions reserved for woman, to cook, to knit and sew, so has a woman to perform a man's work. If he may turn nurse she may turn physician. Each one has a right to do all lawful things which they are adapted to. Each man has a right to do all lawful things which they are adapted to. If, then, a man has a right to swear profanely, so has a woman; to steal, so has a woman; to bear false witness, so has a woman; to commit murder, so has a woman; to be arrested, tried, convicted, so has a woman! From the cradle to the gallows, we claim for woman her full schedule of rights. Indeed there are some aspects in which a hanging woman is a more impressive spectacle than a swinging man! As long as men are to be hanged, let no one deprive a woman of the privileges of the gallows on the same edifying conditions! But

IS IT BEST TO HANG MEN?

I do not think it is. Is it best to hang women? Is it best to hang anybody? Is the spectacle refining or brutalizing? If it could be shown that hanging was the best disposition that could be made of bad men, it should be secret from the public. It should be done in silence, in seclusion, with no eye beholding but the officers of the law. The victim of crime should simply disappear. The gloating eyes of morbid curiosity should have no brutal spectacle of hideousness provided for them at the public expense. A certain amount of physical restraint is indispensable in the present state of civilization. But cruel and barbarous penalties more and more defeat their own aims.

The English people have wiped out of their statute books a multitude of savage laws and penalties. No penalty has in it any benefit which does not aim at least to benefit the criminal. Society is defended from crime by the reformation of the criminal. We have never tested the possibilities of reformation. We never shall be able to establish a school of reformation in prisons as long as prisons are put into the hands of politicians. So long as creatures like "Fatty" Walsh are made the superintendents of prisons, we may despair of criminals. But a time will come when, with all the resources of wealth, of humanity, and of a true religious spirit, something more may be made of criminals than a prison education into fellowship with crime, and something more than furnishing the dissecting-room with subjects.

Wants Raisins Protected.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 7.--The Board of Trade to-day adopted a resolution requesting Congress not to discourage the production of California raisins by lessening the protection hitherto granted.

THE SALMON CANNING.

Views of an Experienced California Salmon Canner.

How Existing Wrongs Should and May be Righted.

A correspondent signing himself "Chinook" thus writes to the *Grocer and Country Merchant* on salmon canning: Perhaps the views and observations of one who has been actively engaged in the salmon canning business, since its beginning on this coast, and also a close student of the habits of salmon, may not prove uninteresting to your readers. I have been seeking information regarding the noble fish from every stream on the coast, from Alaska to the Sacramento river. I shall, as briefly as possible, treat of the main questions; first of which is,

A COMPARISON OF QUALITY.

In order to show this, I will as a foundation, state that the different runs of salmon on this coast begin spawning in September of each year, and continue so doing until the following January. Those coming in early spring months spawning first and each following run in regular order. This rule has no exception on rivers that have a spring run, and in rivers only that have a summer or fall run, where the mouths of the streams are blocked up so as to prevent passage at regular seasons, in which case the salmon lie at the mouth of the stream until rains open them up and give fish a chance to ascend to the spawning grounds. Often during the natural spawning time, when shut out by low water from their usual places of spawning, the fish will in their efforts to reach the place, throw themselves on the sea beach and try to wriggle across overland. The same rule holds good in Alaska. Another effect which a small quantity of fresh water produces on salmon, is that it reduces the amount and quality of food; one of the principal kinds of which is similar in richness to the oyster, although of a lower order of fish life, and which thrives only at the mouth of rivers that send a good volume of fresh water to the sea. This is the reason why rivers like the Columbia, Sacramento and Rogue, pouring their large volume of fresh water directly into the Pacific ocean, produces the earliest, finest and fattest salmon. It is well understood by most persons interested in the salmon business, that as salmon approach the spawning season they depreciate very rapidly in fatness and flavor, and in order to know whether the salmon from stream are wholesome or otherwise, it is necessary to know in what month they are packed, and also in what month the salmon of that stream deposit their spawn. A great deal has been said about

ALASKA SALMON,

outside rivers, etc., and many comparisons made. The fact is the salmon from the stream, are fit for food if packed within two months prior to the spawning time, and in every stream from the Sacramento to the frozen North, large enough for a fish to get in, there are salmon, which if packed in season, are wholesome food, and for quality depend upon the size of the stream, or the volume of fresh water, and the months in which they are taken. All salmon taken from rivers which have no spring run, if taken in the proper season, are wholesome food, but are devoid of fat, and for flavor will compare with spring salmon "as the flesh of a poor Spanish steer with a fat stall-fed ox." I have now in my ripened pond more than 100 salmon which, when placed therein, were as plump as were ever seen. Now that they are about ready to spawn, nearly all have the long teeth and hooked nose; but when spawned and returned to the brackish water will become as plump as ever. The danger to

THE HONEST PACKER

as well as the consumer, is that unprincipled and greedy packers will continue canning long after the season should be closed, and when their own stomachs revolt at the spectacle presented when salmon are dragged from the spawning bed and served up for human food. No condemnation is strong enough to visit upon the party who would serve up to mankind such disgusting stuff. Let the States of Oregon and California appoint inspectors for the Columbia and Sacramento rivers, and for principal depots where salmon are received for transhipment, whose duty it shall be to require the party party packing the same to make affidavit as to the month the fish were packed; whereupon it should be the duty of the Inspector to stamp with a heated brand the date indelibly on each case. Something of this kind should be done, or a lasting odium will attach itself to the salmon business in its ultimate ruin. A fact not generally known is, that streams having no spring run have few, if any, true salmon--*salmo quinat*, or Chinook salmon--but are supplied with a run called "silver" salmon, which are devoid of fat, if taken at any time in their season.

THE FRASER RIVER

is the only noteworthy exception, that stream having a summer run called locally, "sock eyes," that are fairly rich in oil. The bulk of the goods packed outside of the rivers mentioned are of the silver salmon variety. It, therefore, becomes the duty of the people to interest themselves in the matter, and by wise legislation endeavor to protect and foster this industry.

Another question which demands attention, and one which you have considered very properly, is the putting forth of

FICTITIOUS BRANDS,

which open wide the avenue for fraud. It should be made compulsory for packers to brand goods under their own name, and if poor goods are packed, let them be marked No. 2. The practice, also, of some parties in San Francisco of branding all salt salmon as Columbia river spring salmon, is to be condemned. The only protection the consumer now has is in buying from established packers who have a reputation for honest dealing, and taking nothing but choice brands of cans packed fish. There are only three rivers on the coast that have a spring run of salmon--beside the Fraser river, which is fairly good--so that there are but a small number to choose from.

Our Pensioners.

The pensioners of Canada authorized by statute are not very numerous, but their allowance is large. Two ex-Supreme Court Judges receive $9,999.84; ex-Judges of the province of Quebec $20,709.33; Ontario ex-Judges, $8,[illegible]; Nova Scotia, $11,518.36; New Brunswick, $1,733.28; making a total of $50,[illegible]. The province of British Columbia under miscellaneous pensions is debited with a pension to one Capt. P. J. Hankin, $2,505.56; A. F. Pemberton, $1,622.16; H. M. Ball, $2,206.55; E. H. Sanders, $1,950.92 and W. H. Spalding, $1622.16; a total of $10,106.26 paid to these individuals out of the earnings of the people of Canada for nothing. The question asked what did they accomplish or achieve for the Dominion that they should be thus spoon-fed by its people?

I. O. O. F. Grand Lodge.

The annual communication of the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows of B. C. will be held in the hall on Douglas street, commencing to-morrow (Wednesday) morning at 9:30. Representatives are expected to attend the session from the lodges of the order at Nanaimo, Wellington, New Westminster and Chilliwhack. At the conclusion of the business of the Grand Lodge, a banquet will be given at the Clarence hotel open to all members of the order, tickets for which can be obtained from any of the Grand Lodge officers. Several important matters affecting the welfare of the order in this province will be dealt with at this meeting, and a pleasant and profitable reunion is anticipated.

EASTERN CANADA.

The Political Conflict--The Hon. Edward Blake Confident.

Liberals Sanguine of a Majority of 37--Political and Other News.

THE POLITICAL HOROSCOPE.

QUEBEC, Feb. 8.--Hon. Edward Blake has written to political friends in this city that if his Quebec supporters can evenly divide the province in the federal elections, they can count on a majority for their party in the House of Commons of 37 votes. The Liberals claim that Quebec province will give Blake a majority of 10.

Friends and admirers of Sir Adolphe Caron have presented him with an address and a life size portrait of himself. Caron has accepted the candidature for the Commons of Quebec county.

SUNDAY MEETINGS, ETC.

MONTREAL, Feb. 8.--Archbishop Fabre has addressed a circular to his clergy condemning Sunday political meetings.

46 BODIES RECOVERED.

So far 46 bodies have been recovered from the train wreck at White river, many unrecognizable. Among those killed is the wife of Governor Fairbanks, of Vermont.

THE CARNIVAL.

This is the opening day of the Carnival. The city is gaily decorated to-day and wears a holiday aspect. Thousands are arriving by every train. The Governor General and party arrived to-night, and were met by an immense crowd and escorted to his residence by the militia.

NEW BRUNSWICK FOR THE GOVERNMENT.

OTTAWA, Feb. 8.--Hon. John Costigan writes from New Brunswick that the government will carry that province by about seven majority.

CHURCH EXEMPTION.

TORONTO, Feb. 8.--The ministerial association to-day adopted a memorial to the City Council protesting against the entire exemption of Roman Catholic clergy from taxation as an injustice to tax payers of the city.

CONTRACT LET.

WINNIPEG, Feb. 8.--The contract has been let to Jas. Reid for the construction of the Sault Ste. Marie branch of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

THE SCHOOL BOARD.

Meeting of the Trustees Last Night --Business Transacted.

The school board met last evening, the chairman presiding, and all the members in attendance. The following communications were presented:

From the Provincial Secretary, in respect to the goose nuisance. Referred to City Council.

From Supt. Pope, stating that a salary would be paid Miss Abbie Gardner, as monitor, during Miss Barron's absence. Received and filed.

From F. G. Wright, teacher in boys' school, tendering his resignation. Accepted, and testimonial to be granted, the board expressing its regret of losing so efficient a teacher.

From Miss Armstrong and Miss Jackson, asking for supplies, &c. Received and filed.

A suggestion was made that, when a letter with an error in it was received from a teacher it should be referred back to the writer, was not acted upon, Mr. Walker objecting on the ground that it would be a reflection upon all the teachers to adopt a resolution to that effect.

A special committee reported in favor of a number of repairs and alterations at the Central school. The committee expressed the opinion that the time had arrived when it is expedient to erect a new high school away from the other buildings; suggested that provision be made for housing the janitor on the school ground.

The reports for January were submitted. They showed an average daily attendance of 893.64, giving an average of 44.80 to each teacher; increase in daily attendance over previous month, 13.56.

Bills for January were received and ordered paid if found correct.

The board went into committee to appoint a successor to Mr. Wright, resigned, but adjourned without making a selection.

The Retaliation.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.--Secretary Manning has sent to Perry Belmont, Chairman of the House Committee on Foreign Affairs, a long and carefully prepared reply to the request of that committee for his views in regard to the House and Senate Retaliation bills, and for any suggestions that he may desire to make with reference thereto. He divides the subject to be considered into two parts; first, the fishing rights of the United States and second, the commercial rights of United States vessels in Canadian ports. The report is very voluminous and is regarded to be assented by the administration in regard to the fishery troubles.

THE IRISH QUESTION

Again Before the Imperial Parliament Yesterday.

The Canadian Fisheries Question in the Commons.

Parnell's Amendment.

LONDON, Feb. 7.--Parnell moved an amendment to the Queen's speech, which was very moderate and judicious in tone. Parnell spoke with energy and was much exhausted at the end. Gladstone promises to support the amendment.

PARNELL'S AMENDMENT.

Parnell moved his amendment to the address in reply to the Queen's speech. The amendment is as follows: "Relations between the owners and occupiers of land in Ireland should not have been seriously disturbed in cases of those who granted their tenants such abatements as were demanded by prices of agrarian and pastoral product as a remedy for the crisis in Irish agrarian affairs, but found not to have increased the stringency of the criminal proceeding, or in pursuit of such doubtful and unconstitutional measures as those recently taken by Her Majesty's government, but in such reforms of law as will satisfy the needs of and secure the confidence of the Irish people."

Mr. Parnell maintained if the bill for stopping the evictions which he introduced last session had been passed the condition of Ireland would be greatly improved. Operative measures would have effectually prevented the present disturbed relations between landlords and tenants. The blame for the present serious position of Irish domestic affairs rested with the government. Despite this, the government seemed about to renew the mistake of attempting coercion in Ireland. The speaker solemnly warned the government if they again tried coercion they would fail, as they always have failed when trying that policy.

LONDON, Feb. 7.--Sir Jas. Ferguson, Parliamentary Secretary for the Foreign office, stated in the House of Commons this evening that the correspondence between Great Britain and the United States relating to the Canadian fisheries question would in a short time be laid before Parliament. The correspondence, he said, contains full information about the history of the whole affairs down to the present date. A dispatch from the Dominion government containing suggestions as to the *modus vivendi* between Canada and the United States is now on its way to London. The Imperial government could not, therefore, send proposals to Washington until the Canadian dispatch was received and considered.

Nationalist Elected.

DUBLIN, Feb. 7.--Edward Kennedy, Nationalist, was elected by acclamation for Sligo to-day.

CABLE WIRELETS.

There is almost an absolute certainty that there will be no war in Europe this year.

The sculling match between Bubear and Perkins for £400 and the challenge cup, was won by the latter on Monday on the Tyne.

It is stated that Britain has adopted the Lee American rifle for army purposes.

Mr. Parnell will go abroad after the debate on the address.

The Parnellites will oppose in parliament all projects relative to the liquor traffic in Ireland.

The *Le Paris* expresses thankfulness that France is under a republican government, as a king could never brook the German insults given the French.

Subterranean explosions [illegible] to the alarm of the inhabitants of that section are taken place in the Russian oil fields. A volcano recently broke out sending a column of fire 350 feet into the air. The mud emitted covers the surrounding country for miles to a depth of several feet.

At a large meeting of electors held on Sunday, at Bonn, Judge Haas, a Catholic, who favors the Septennate, was chosen as a candidate for the Reichstag.

M. Bihourd, a French resident in Tonquin, telegraphs that Col. Brissaud has occupied a fort on Makas Ridge after a stubborn resistance by the Annamites. The French had eight wounded.

The police of Brussels have seized the new Socialist paper called the *Conscrit Annals*. A prominent Socialist was released at Ghent. A demonstration by his followers was suppressed by the police, as it threatened to develop into a row.

The Prince of Wales has gone to Cannes.

The Terrible Railroad Accident.

WHITE RIVER JUNCTION, Vt., Feb. 7.--Probably 8000 persons visited the scene of the railroad accident to-day. The only trains run were for the accommodation of officials for carrying the wounded and dead. Consequently all manner of conveyances were brought into requisition, many teams coming distances of 40 and 50 miles and centering here in long processions. Seven or eight bodies were to-day identified by friends and many heartrending scenes were witnessed. It is utterly impossible to identify more than ten or twelve of those recovered, the clothing being entirely gone and the bodies being burned to a crisp. Conductor Sturtevant died to-day, and his body was taken to his home by a special train. Mr. Tewksbury, of Randolph, whose leg and arm were broken, was taken home last night by a special train, and is reported as doing well. The work of recovering the wreckage and bodies has been pushed vigorously all day. The ruins have been minutely searched, and probably all are recovered that can be. The iron work of the cars has all been pulled over and cleared away. The total number of bodies recovered to-day is five--one woman and four men. Drs. Grennel and Bingham, of Burlington, have to-day thoroughly examined the charred remains of the victims thus far recovered for the purpose of ascertaining the number. They report 3 to be, up to this morning just 27, which with the five found to-day makes 32 recovered thus far. This is verified by Lieut. Governor Fuller.

Rejected by the Senate.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.--The [illegible] prepared by Senator [illegible] and offered in the shape of a resolution regarding the rejection by Matthews, colored, to be recorder of deeds of the District of Columbia was to-day adopted by the Senate, by a vote of [illegible] to [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] to the President [illegible] the Senate's action.

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The Daily Times.

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NOTES AND COMMENTS.

A consistory will be held at Rome on March 7th, when a number of cardinal's hats will be conferred.

A London newspaper declares that a Captain Maude, who died a week or two since, in the Jubilee year of Victoria, was the grandson of a man who lived twelve years under Charles II. His grandfather, Sir Robert Maude, was born in 1674; his father, the first Lord Hawarden, in 1729, and he himself in 1798. Thus three generations have covered 213 years, or an average of seventy-one years to a generation, and have lived under ten sovereigns. The first Lord Hawarden having been born as stated in 1729, married in 1777 for his third wife a young lady of 18, who lived to be ninety-two and died in 1851. There were thus 122 years between the birth of the husband and the death of his wife. Such a case is probably unique.

Mr. Blake took an active part in the Ontario contest. Some of the Tory newspapers, while publishing glowing eulogies of Sir John and his ministers in their sturdy efforts to defeat Mr. Mowat, complained of Mr. Blake for taking part in a provincial contest. He should have confined himself to dominion elections, forsooth! Most persons will think Mr. Blake had quite as good a right as Sir John to take part in a provincial election. Moreover, Mr. Blake's friends will be pleased to know that his services in the election were fruitful of good results. The *Globe*, which lent its powerful support to M. Mowat, gives the post of honor as the orator of the campaign to Mr. Blake. We quote: Mr. Blake's track through Ontario during the past year might almost be laid down by drawing lines from the place of one increased Liberal majority to the place of another. His strong, careful, logical, candid and eloquent speeches undoubtedly did more than those of all other orators put together to win the great victory of Tuesday last. Again: If Mr. Mowat had not been the excellent premier that he is Mr. Blake's work would have been vain to help the Ontario government. If Mr. Blake had not taken time by the forelock and the boodlers by the throat, even he could not have helped Mr. Mowat. We Liberals have reason to be proud of both our chiefs. Stainless, active, far-seeing, never shirking from conflict against wrong and prejudice, true to liberty in heart and word, they have saved Ontario, and will soon recover the dominion from its peril.

Among the most immediate questions forced upon the railroad managers of the country by the passage of the Interstate Commerce bill is the future of the pools and traffic associations. These organizations, through which the railroads themselves have attempted to regulate competition, fix rates and divide traffic, have multiplied until almost every portion of the railroad field is covered by their operation. It would seem that in many instances the opinion of railroad men is averse to their extinction, in spite of the prohibition by the bill of one feature, that of a division of earnings, which in many instances is the leading element of their existence. Whether it is feasible to retain their machinery within the provisions of the law merely for the collection of statistics and the voluntary maintenance of rates by the companies is an undetermined question. As bearing on this question recent developments in the west are of interest. Nowhere is railroad competition so rife as in the region covered by the Central Traffic Association, which organization includes the territory between the Ohio and the lakes, extending from Chicago and St. Louis to Buffalo and Pittsburgh. Within this territory, besides the Chicago pool, at various interior centres, are local pools designed to control the traffic passing through them and harmonize it with the Chicago pool. No great degree of success has attended the operation of these interior pools in the past, and during this week the process of disintegration has been active. The Peoria and Indianapolis pools seem to have fallen to pieces, while the St. Louis pool is unable to control its members.

WHITHER ARE WE DRIFTING?

The junior government organ has not yet discovered the fact that the working account of the provincial government for the financial year ending the 30th of June, 1886, showed an expenditure of $257,491.83 in excess of the revenue for the year; the total receipts from all sources amounted to $515,281.47, while the expenditure totalled $772,412.25. The Times repeatedly raised its warning voice and pointed out a result certain to follow the profligacy that was being displayed in the management of the finances of the country. Our appeals were laughed at in certain quarters and doubted in others. We then asserted that, financially, the country was rushing into bankruptcy as fast as it was possible for a set of governmental incapables to drive it. Ever since the Smithe-Robson combination obtained control of the affairs of this province, with the exception of 1883-4, they have so bunglingly managed its affairs that yearly deficits are as regular as the rising of the sun. The following table will illustrate at a glance the manner in which the government muddlers deal with the hard earnings of the electors committed to their trust. For the four years they have been in power the receipts and expenditures of each year are shown.

EXPENDITURES.

1882-3	1883-4	1884-5	1885-6
$605,173.71	$390,881.10	$[illegible]	$772,412.25

RECEIPTS.

$449,406.32	$691,273.94	$[illegible]	$515,281.47
$155,773.39	$300,446.13	$ 33,227.80	$257,130.78

Summed up these deficiencies are as follows:

Shortage in	1882-3—	$155,773.39	
do	1884-5—	33,227.80	
do	1885-6—	257,130.78	
			$ 446,131.88
To which has to be added the deficit for the half year ending 31st of last December			$ 156,212.62
Total Deficit			$ 602,344.50

The supporters of the government claim credit for the apparent surplus in the accounts of 1883-4. The dry dock refund for that year amounted to $384,512.60. Were that sum to be deducted from the revenue of that year, and laid aside as it should have been, and as it was asserted it would be, the total receipts from all other sources would have been $506,767.29, while the expenditure amounted to $590,631.10, an excess over revenue of $83,863.81. This sum added to deficits already shown would indicate a total deficit for their term of office of about $700,000! To this sum, however, must be added the dry dock refund, which it is only too apparent has also been spent; but where, when or how, none can tell.

For the sake of the fame of our fair province we hope there is something wrong in the statement submitted to the Assembly. Figures it is said cannot lie, but figures can be made to say strange things. The officers and heads of the financial department of the province attest to the correctness of the figures above quoted. If they are wrong the fault is not that of The Times in giving them a publicity which the government organs has designedly kept back. Matters have, indeed, come to a pretty pass in this province when its government is compelled to discount the people's paper out of the proceeds of which they grab their own salaries. Truly it is an appalling condition, and well may each and all ask, whither are we drifting?

VALUE OF PUBLIC HEALTH.

The price which Montreal and the Province of Quebec have paid for entertaining smallpox in past years is pointed out in an able and startling article in a recent issue by the Montreal *Herald*. Montreal had smallpox at work among her citizens from 1872 to 1885, with only three years' interruption. The number who died in the city between 1872 and 1881, inclusive, was 4,683. There was no statistics to show how many died in the province outside of Montreal, but it is certain that the mortality was heavy, and the writer of the article in question has placed it at 3,000. In the epidemic of 1885 the smallpox deaths in the city numbered 3,164 and in the province 2,670. So that it is reasonably certain that the deaths by smallpox in the city and province, together, no doubt have numbered since 1872 at least 13,547. Valuing these lives at $500 each, or half the sum which an immigrant is valued at, we have a loss of $6,774,000. The sanitary engineer who makes these estimates then goes into the cost of suppressing the disease in 1885, the loss of traffic to the railways and of business to the city, and places the total loss that can be reckoned in money at $7,105,000. These are certainly startling figures, and should convey their own warning without any newspaper comment being needed. The same holds good of every other city and of all epidemic diseases. To perpetuate a condition of filth in any quarter is to invite these diseases, which are especially inimical to the business interests of the community. It is not only the loss of those who may perish by the disease itself that is to be lamented, but the bad reputation which such mortality gives, checking the rate of progress and development that otherwise would be due. The best policy is that of prevention.

Want of space prevents the publication of tables of British iron and steel exports for the year 1886. Briefly stated the total exports were 3,389,197 tons in 1886, against 3,130,-082 tons in 1885, and 3,495,991 tons in 1884. The total shipments to the United States in 1886 were 393,632 tons, against 297,938 tons in 1885 and 454,755 tons in 1884. To the increased shipments to the United States alone can be credited the increase in the totals over 1885. Pig iron showed the greatest increase, and steel blooms also were heavily in excess of 1885. Indeed every line of exports showed an increase with the exception of hoops and sheet iron.

Dominion Elections.

To the Electors of Vancouver Island District for the House of Commons.

Gentlemen,—

I beg to announce myself as a candidate at the coming Dominion Election for the representation of your important district in the Parliament of Canada.

I again solicit your confidence as a firm supporter of the Liberal Conservative party, whose wise policy has raised the Dominion of Canada to her present exalted position.

I will hold public meetings whenever I find it possible to do so, of which due notice will be given and at which I will give an account of my stewardship during the four years that I have had the honor of representing you in the House of Commons.

I have the honor to be,
Gentlemen,
Yours truly,
D. W. GORDON.

Nanaimo, Jan. 17th, 1887. jan18dw

To the Electors of the City of Victoria District.

Gentlemen:

I again offer myself as a candidate for your suffrages at the coming Election, as a Conservative, but not as a slave to any party. My platform will be: (1) The well-being of Victoria and District, which has been entirely overlooked; (2) Vancouver Island and its varied interests; (3) British Columbia in general; (4) The Dominion and its people. As Mayor of the city, I feel it will enable me to bring before the Dominion Government those varied interests with greater force and effect.

Yours, &c.,
JAMES FELL.

Victoria, Jan. 18. jan19

To the Electors of Vancouver District.

Gentlemen:—Having been requested by a large number of Electors to allow my name to be placed in nomination as Liberal Conservative Candidate for the House of Commons for your large and important District, I respectfully announce myself, as a Candidate for the favor of your support at the coming election.

I will be pleased to hold public meetings wherever possible as soon (in the course of a few days) as I have brought my official duties as Stipendiary Magistrate to a close and tendered my resignation.

Yours Faithfully,
J. P. PLANTA.

Nanaimo, V. I., Jan. 24th, '87. jan25

To the Voters in the Electoral District of Victoria.

Gentlemen,—I am a candidate for the Ottawa House of Commons as a supporter of Sir John A. Macdonald.

T. B. HUMPHREYS.

DOMINION ELECTION.

To the Electors of the Electoral District of Victoria

Gentlemen:—I beg respectfully to announce myself a candidate for re-election to the Commons, as a supporter of the Liberal-Conservative party.

E. CROW BAKER.

Victoria, January 24, 1887. jan24

Dominion Election.

The undersigned announces that he is a candidate for the representation of the Victoria Electoral District in the Commons of Canada, and respectfully solicits the vote and influence of the electors in said District.

W. A. ROBERTSON.
Jan 18

To the Electors of Electoral District of Victoria

GENTLEMEN:

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HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

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Members Ask for Information and Get It.

MONDAY, Feb. 7th.

The Speaker took the chair at 2 p. m. Prayers by Rev. W. W. Percival.

PETITIONS.

Mr. Orr presented the petition of Messrs. Ladner and others, for authority to construct a railway from Popcum to Ladner's Landing.

Mr. Baker asked permission to withdraw the petition of Messrs. Galt and others, for a railway in Kootenay, in order that the promoters might have an opportunity to make further surveys. Permission granted and petition withdrawn.

RETURN.

Hon J. Robson presented an abstract statement of the revenue and expenditure for the half year ending 31st Dec., 1886.

TIMBER LANDS.

Mr. Higgins moved "That a respectful address be presented to His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, praying that a return be sent down to this House of all timber lands alienated by the Provincial Government from the date of the various Acts relating thereto coming into force to the present date; giving the location and acreage so alienated; the names of the parties by whom the said lands were acquired; and the names of the parties by whom they are now held."

He said there was an impression abroad that most of the timber land taken up recently had gone into the hands of speculators south of the boundary, and that it had not been acquired in conformity with the act.

Seconded by Mr. Croft and carried.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE.

Mr. Higgins moved: "That a respectful address be presented to His Honor the Lieut.-Governor, praying that a return be sent down to this House of all expenditures on account of Government House from the date of Confederation to the 31st December, 1886."

The mover said the House should know exactly what that establishment was costing the country before the estimates were brought down, and whether they were able to keep up a vice-regal palace. The allowance from the Dominion was altogether inadequate, in consequence of the increased cost of living, and had to be supplemented by the province. If the expense was as large as he had reason to expect, he would move to call the attention of the Dominion government to the insufficiency of the grant. Seconded by Mr. Thompson.

Hon. J. Robson said the department was very much strained, and he would suggest to the mover that every cent spent upon Government House could be found in the public accounts.

Motion was carried.

LANDS AT GRANVILLE.

Mr. Orr moved: "That a respectful address be presented to His Honor the Lieut.-Governor, praying that a copy of all Orders in Council, and all notices of reservation, and notices of the cancelling of reservations, and all correspondence between the Provincial and Dominion governments in any way relating to reversion of the lands and townsite of Granville, lying to the west of what is known as the North Road to Burrard Inlet, in the district of New Westminster, to the province of British Columbia." Carried.

J. B. HILL.

Mr. Martin asked the Attorney-General: 1. How long has J. B. Hill been confined in gaol at Kamloops? 2. For what cause? 3. Who pays for his maintenance? 4. If the Provincial government, how much? 5. Has any money been paid by the private prosecutor, and if so, how much?

Attorney-General—Mr. Hill is detained under civil process, and was, as I am informed, delivered into custody at the Kamloops gaol on 11th May, 1886, by virtue of two writs of capias, one for $1280.50 and the other for $676.99 issued after judgment out of the Supreme Court by order of a judge thereof in the actions of A. B. Gray & Co. vs. W. Hill & Murdock, and A. B. Gray & Co. vs. Hill & Gillis. The province, as is usual in such cases, pays for the maintenance of the debtor. No moneys have been paid by the plaintiffs.

ANOTHER DEFICIT.

Mr. Semlin asked the Minister of Finance what was the total revenue and expenditure from 1st of July to 31st December, 1886? Also, what was the amount of revenue brought to account at the treasury during the first six months of the fiscal year 1886-87, on account of land sales?

Hon. J. Robson—Revenue, $221,729.31; expenditure, $339,577.87; land sales, $31,871.25.

FALSE CREEK BRIDGE.

Mr. Orr asked the Provincial Secretary what action has the government taken relative to a resolution passed by this House on the 25th February, 1886, respecting the railway bridge across False Creek, in the district of New Westminster?

Hon J. Robson—It was forwarded in the usual way.

EXPLOSIVES.

Mr. Higgins asked the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works—"Is he aware that there is stored in a frame building, within a few hundred feet of the government buildings, a large quantity of powder; and that the existence of said explosive in its present exposed condition is a menace to government as well as private property."

Hon. Mr. Beaven drew attention to rule 28. The question was out of order on the ground that it contained a statement of facts.

Mr. Speaker ruled that the point of order was well taken and that the question was out of order.

GOLD PROSPECTING.

Mr. Mason asked the leader of the government: What steps have been taken to carry into effect the following resolution of the former Legislative Assembly, passed on the 3rd April, 1886, viz: "Resolved, that this committee respectfully recommend that the Lieutenant Governor in Council do offer a reward of not less than $5000 for the discovery of a new gold field, upon such terms and subject to such conditions as the Lieutenant-Governor in Council may deem expedient."

Attorney General—None; the government deemed it better to have the further consideration of the House on the subject.

INDIAN RESERVE.

Mr. Beaven asked the Attorney General: "Has section 119, Esquimalt district (Songhees Indian reserve), Victoria harbor, been dealt with in any way by the present government? If so, in what manner?"

Attorney General—It has not.

ABOLITION OF PREFERENCES.

Hon. Mr. Davie moved the second reading of the "Abolition of Preferences Act."

Mr. Grant said Mr. Bole, who was not present, had several amendments to move to the bill and suggested a postponement. T. Davie advocated the consolidation of the act with others of a like character.

Mr. Beaven thought the Attorney General's motion should pass, and the bill be then postponed until Mr. Bole was present.

The motion was carried.

RAILWAY COMMITTEE.

The following Railway Committee was named: Messrs. T. Davie, Martin, Prior, Allen, Croft, Mason, Higgins, Vernon, Ladner, Semlin, McLeese, Stenhouse, Thompson, Cowan and John.

PRIVILEGE.

Mr. Higgins said his motion having been ruled out of order, he had no other course than to bring it up as a question of privilege. He was credibly informed that there was 2000 or 3000 pounds of powder stored on government grounds in a frame building, and he thought it should received the prompt attention of the government.

The Attorney General said there was a considerable quantity of explosives in the drill shed, in the shape of cartridges, etc., because the magazine was too full.

The House then adjourned until Wednesday next.

NOTICE OF MOTION.

On Wednesday Mr. W. H. Ladner will move that an order of the House be granted for a return of all highways gazetted on the north side of Fraser river, in townships 17, 20 and 23, New Westminster district. And a return of all monies expended since 1st July, 1883, on roads and bridges in the above township, classifying the amount expended upon such gazetted highways and the amount expended elsewhere.

Mr. Beaven—That the petition of McLeod Stewart and others for leave to introduce a private bill and the petition of Alexander McLean and others for a similar purpose be printed.

Hon. Mr. Davie will ask leave to introduce a bill intituled "An Act relating to the practice and procedure of the Supreme Court."

Hon. Mr. Robson will ask leave to introduce a bill intituled "An Act to repeal (in part) the Sumas Dyking Act, 1878."

Mr. Higgins will move for copies of all correspondence, telegrams or orders in Council by this government with any other government or person or persons whatsoever relative to the calling of trans-pacific steamships carrying Her Majesty's mails, and at ports of Victoria and Esquimalt.

Mr. Baker—That whereas it is expedient to amend certain clauses in the mining laws of the province: Resolved, that a select committee be appointed to consider the subject and report to this House.

NOTICE OF QUESTION.

Mr. Higgins—Is it the intention of the government to place a sum on the estimates for 1887-8 for the establishment of a Normal school?

Mr. Semlin—Has the government of British Columbia made any agreement with Baillie Grohman, subsequent to September 7, 1885, in reference to the Kootenay land reclamation scheme?

The Czar Sends for His Uniform.

When Prince William, of Prussia, visited the Russian emperor on the occasion of the recent imperial hunt at Brest Litovsk, the czar found himself without Prussian uniform, and the consequences was that a messenger had to travel all the way from St. Petersburg by special train to repair the deficiency. The czar discovered his loss the afternoon before Prince William's arrival. Sending word to his valet to have a Prussian uniform in readiness for the morrow, the man appeared to say that by his imperial master's orders all uniforms had been left at St. Petersburg.

An aide-de-camp was sent for. "A Prussian uniform must be here by 7 o'clock to-morrow morning." It was then 4 o'clock. The aide-de-camp dispatched two telegrams, one to the master of the imperial wardrobe at St. Petersburg, and the other to the railway authorities, and about 6 o'clock a locomotive set off from the Russian capital carrying the messenger intrusted with the required dress. Fresh locomotives were in readiness at Dunaberg and Wilna, and the distance of 950 kilometres was traversed in thirteen hours, a rate of seventy-three kilometres per hour, so that the uniform was in readiness for the czar at the time fixed.—Pall Mall Gazette.

Return of Damaged Books.

Mr. C. A. Clapp, who is in the book business, showed me the other day a newly published book, just in from a Boston publisher, in which by transposition or dropping out of a page in the making up of the type the entire work was spoiled. We fell to talking about errors of this kind when Mr. Clapp said: "As a rule the public does not know or readily discover such things. Not long ago the American News company handled a reprint of Dickens' 'Pickwick Papers' in which there was inserted by mistake an entire 'signature' from 'Nicholas Nickleby.' This was a striking error, yet only ten copies out of about 1,000 that were sold were returned to the news company." These were cheap books, and the buyers may not have thought it worth while to chase after the company for twenty cents, but another consideration may have been at the bottom of the small percentage of the damaged books returned. The average American reader jumps through a book, instead of reading it, and it is no doubt true that many of the purchasers of this edition of 'Pickwick Papers' glanced hastily through the pages from 'Nicholas Nickleby' without discovering the difference.—New York Tribune.

English Army Officers' Intelligence.

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TIME TABLE.

Commencing Monday, Aug. 2, 1886.

ATLANTIC EXPRESS.

Leaves Victoria at	7:25 a.m.
Arrives at Townsend at	10:50 a.m.
Leaves Townsend at	10:30 a.m.
Arrives at Seattle at	2:20 p.m.
Leaves Seattle at	3:15 p.m.
Arrives at Tacoma at	5:35 p.m.

PACIFIC EXPRESS.

Leaves St. Paul at	4:00 p.m.
Leaves Helena at	6:15 p.m.
Leaves Wallula at	10:30 p.m.
Arrives at Portland at	10:30 a.m.
Leaves Portland at	11:00 a.m.
Leaves Tacoma at	2:05 a.m.
Arrives at Seattle at	6:15 a.m.
Leaves Seattle at	7:00 a.m.
Arrives at Townsend at	11:00 a.m.
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Land Applications.

Notice is Hereby Given

THAT the undermentioned persons intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the undermentioned tracts of land situated on the north-east coast of Vancouver Island, and described as follows:—

No. 1. Commencing at a post on the shore about half a mile east of the mouth of Salmon River, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains more or less, to the shore line, thence following the shore line to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

F. G. RICHARDS, Jr.

No. 2 Commencing at the south-east corner of F. G. Richards' claim, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

A. A. GREEN.

No. 3. Commencing at the south-west corner of A. A. Green's claim, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

W. P. SAYWARD.

No. 4. Commencing at the north-east corner of F. G. Richards' claim, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, more or less, to the sea shore, thence north-easterly along the shore to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

J. CARROLL.

No. 5. Commencing at the southeast corner of A. A. Green's claim, thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

J. McALLISTER.

Victoria, B. C., Dec. 14, 1886. dec19 law 2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase (135) one hundred and thirty five acres, more or less, of pastoral land at the Hot Springs, Kootenay District:—

Commencing at a post planted at the south west corner of land purchased by John T. Galbraith on Hot Spring Creek; thence west (50) fifty chains, more or less, to bank of Columbia River; thence southerly, following the bank of said river, to north west corner of land applied for to purchase by Geo. Henry; thence east (40) forty chains, more or less, along the northern boundary of said land; thence north (30) thirty chains, more or less, to place of commencement.

jan 7-law 2mo. E. H. S. CLARK.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I have applied to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, for a license to cut and carry away timber, from the following sections of land situated on Salmon River. N½ S. E. ¼ section one, section eight North half ½ section of section Five, Township three containing 320 acres, more or less.

dec 23-1mo T. D. JONES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INtend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situate in New Westminster District, as follows: Commencing at S. Cliffe's N. W. corner, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to the point of commencement.

JAS. GRAHAM.

Victoria, B. C., 22d Jan., 1887. ja26-law 2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INtend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situate in New Westminster District, described as follows:

Commencing at James Graham's north east corner stake, thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement.

A. MACPHERSON.

Victoria, B. C. Jany 22 1887. jan 26-law 2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INtend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situate in New Westminster District, and described as follows: Commencing at J. King's N. W. corner, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.

ROBT. GRAHAM.

Victoria, B. C., 22d Jan., 1887. ja26-law-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INtend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situate in New Westminster District, described as follows: Commencing at a stake three miles north of Daisy Lake, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.

S. CLIFFE.

Victoria, B. C., 22d Jan., 1887. ja26-law-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situate at Otter Cove, Sayward District, described as follows:

Commencing at a stake in Otter Cove; thence west 60 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 100 chains to coast line; thence north along coast line to point of commencement.

A. R. JOHNSTON.

Nanaimo, B. C., Jan. 26, 1887. ja28 law 2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INtend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of Land situate in New Westminster District and described as follows:

Commencing at a stake five miles north of Daisy Lake; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.

J. KING.

Victoria, B. C. Jany 22 1887. jan 26-law 2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INtend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situate in New Westminster District, and described as follows:

Commencing at G. McAllister's N. E. corner; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.

Wm. LEWIS.

Victoria, B. C. 22 Jany 1887. jan 26-law 2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INtend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of Land situate in New Westminster District and described as follows:

Commencing at Wm. Lewis' S. E. corner; thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement.

L. CASEY.

Victoria, B. C. Jany 22nd 1887. jan 26-law 2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INtend making application to the Chief Commissioners of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situate in New Westminster District, and described as follows: Commencing at A. MacPherson's N. W. corner, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement.

M. KING.

Victoria, B. C., 22d Jan. 1887. ja26-law-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situate in New Westminster District and described as commencing at a stake one mile north of Daisy Lake; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.

G. L. MILL.

Victoria, B.C., Jan. 22, 1887. ja26 law 2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situate in New Westminster District and described as commencing at the N. W. corner of G. L. Hill's claim; thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.

GEO. McALLISTER.

Victoria, B.C., Jan. 22, 1887. ja26 law 2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 120 acres of land at Menzies Bay Sayward District described as follows:

The north east corner post is situated on the south bank of small river running into Menzies Bay, distance about two miles in a south west [illegible]; thence running south 80 chains; thence west 120 chains; thence north 35 chains; thence east 100 chains to point of commencement.

THE KING, E. PRIEST E. C. [illegible]

Nanaimo, B. C., Jan 24, 1887. jan 28-law 2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase two hundred acres of land, more or less, situated on the East Coast of Vancouver Island, and described as follows:

Commencing at a stake at the northeast corner of M. C. Ireland's claim, about four miles N. W. of Seymour Rapids; thence running sixty chains west; thence forty chains north; thence 50 chains to beach; thence northerly following meanderings of shore, to point of commencement.

January 17, 1887. [illegible] law 2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase [illegible] acres of land situate at [illegible] Sayward District, described as follows:

Commencing at [illegible] thence north [illegible] chains, thence [illegible] to point of commencement.

Nanaimo, B. C., Jan. 25, 1887. [illegible]

The Daily Times.

PUBLISHED EVERY AFTERNOON EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Victoria, Tuesday, Feb. 8, 1887.

DIED.

WILLIAMS—At San Bernardino, Cal., Jan. 26th, 1887, J. W. Williams, in the [illegible] year of his age.

☞ The funeral will take place from his late residence, Blanchard Avenue, Wednesday, 9th inst., at 2 p. m., and from the Methodist Church Pandora street, at 2.30.

CITY AND PROVINCE.

—Twenty degrees above zero last night.

—A fine line of water proof coats and umbrellas, cheap at A. GILMORE's, Johnson street.

—SKATES! SKATES!!—A fine assortment of Skates at H. SHORT's Fort street.

—Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows will meet to-morrow forenoon in Odd Fellows Hall.

—Photographic views along the line of the C. P. R. in B. C., for sale at R. MAYNARD's, Douglas St.

—Mr. W. J. Sutton will give a lecture and exhibition on phrenology at Temperance Hall, to-morrow (Wednesday) evening.

—Browne's patent metallic and weather strips for windows and doors are said to be excellent preventives for cold or dust. For sale by John P. Elford, this city.

—Cupid is still out with his bow and quiver. One marriage is set for to-morrow and another, if circumstances permit, will also take place on that evening.

—The *Colonist* corrects the *Standard* for speaking of Canada as a foreign country! which reminds us of the saying, "the devil reproving sin."

—Mr. J. P. Planta has resigned his office of stipendiary magistrate, which he could not hold as a member of parliament, which he says he is going to be.

—The Concordia drew a large audience last night. The company appear to-night and to-morrow they will leave for Wellington for a short season.

—"A guilty conscience needs no accuser," the gunpowder stored near the House of Assembly seems to be a thing of terror to the "privy" councillor. Between the two stools he fell.

—During the month of January last one hundred and fifty-five cases of diphtheria were reported in San Francisco. At present writing it is on the increase. Foul sewers are the cause.

—The Rev. F. McCuaig's location in this province will be at Chilliwhack, which is a rising place. The Kingston Presbytery has arranged for the translation.

—The sale of seats for the Abbott opera troupe may be termed fairly good. The largest audience will be present at "Martha." This is their strongest representation.

—GOODWIN & JORDAN, piano manufacturers, tuning and repairing. FACTORY CORMORANT street, between Douglas and Blanchard. First class work only. Telephone 98; P. O. box 422.

—Michael Sullivan, who arrived from Nicola, on Sunday, very ill, died at St. Joseph's hospital on Monday. He was an Irishman, 49 years of age, and a pioneer of the province.

—The Juneau, Alaska, *Free Press*, recently established, claims the [illegible] distinction of being published at the farthest northwest point of any paper in the U. S. or Canada.

—To-morrow at 11 o'clock a.m. Mr. Geo. Byrnes, auctioneer, will sell all the furniture, etc., in the lodging house over Smith's cracker bakery, Fort St., next to A. McLean's clothing store.

—Dr. A. C. West, dentist, will for the present occupy dental rooms in Hastings' Photographic buildings, Fort street, where his old patrons and all requiring fine dental work, are respectfully invited to call.

—Another witness was examined in the Chinese perjury case this forenoon and the case was then remanded. In referring to this case yesterday, the name of Miss Burgess, who appeared as a witness, was incorrectly given.

—One of the men on the Geo. W. Elder received a severe bruise on his left hand, caused by a beer keg which he was handling on Friday last, after leaving San Francisco. Dr. Milne dressed the wound last night.

—Lord Colin Campbell is reported to be hard up, and his library in Edinburgh is to be sold and the proceeds are to be devoted toward paying the costs of his recent divorce suit. The bill handed in amounts to $13,500, and this, unless paid, will land Lord Colin in bankruptcy.

—ANOTHER CANDIDATE—With pleasure we announce the candidature of A. B. Erskine to supply the PUBLIC with BOOTS and SHOES at most reasonable prices. CASH is his platform; committee rooms corner Government and Johnson streets; all are invited.

Hall & Quackenbush, Vancouver, B.C., have the most complete list of business and suburban properties for sale at the terminus of the Canadian Pacific Railway. Prices and terms to suit all parties. Inquiries by mail promptly answered. References.

A Mysterious Affair.

A telegram from New Westminster says that W. C. Robson, the Port Moody stage-driver, on the road between that place and New Westminster, met a party of Indians with a sled on which was a human body. On following their tracks, Robson found that the corpse had been taken out of a hollow cedar stump near the road. The Indians said it was the body of man belonging to Lytton who had been frozen to death.

The Late J. W. Williams.

The mortal remains of the late Mr. J. W. Williams were brought to this city for interment by the Geo. W. Elder yesterday. The funeral will take place to-morrow, Wednesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. The family, who at present are all in the city, carry with them the sincerest sympathy of a wide circle of friends and acquaintances in their hour of sorrow and irreparable bereavement.

The Royal Hospital.

The directors of the Royal Hospital having now matured plans and estimates for the proposed new hospital to be erected during the present jubilee year are desirous of forming a general committee to aid and assist them in carrying out this laudable object, and are asking the co-operation of citizens in becoming members to aid them in carrying out the work. When the committee has been fully formed a meeting will be convened at an early date, and the full plans and estimates laid before the members.

Vagrant Chinaman.

Officer Smith arrested a suspicious looking Chinaman about 12 o'clock last night on [illegible] street. A charge of vagrancy was preferred against him at the police court this morning, but he was remanded for further investigation. He is believed to have been out on a thieving expedition.

A Challenge.

Baffled in argument, and driven into its corner, the *Colonist* resorts to tactics at once as despicable as they are disreputable. On repeated occasions of late it has, by insinuation, referred to a member of the staff of THE TIMES who, for close upon a quarter of a century, resided in the city of Guelph, Ont. The organ has not dared to prefer a charge. Like an overgrown, bumptious bully, it deals in insinuations. The writer hereof will, however, aid this cowardly assassin out of his dilemma and challenges the *Colonist* to produce a word, line or sentence, implied or otherwise, connecting the name of the manager of THE TIMES directly or indirectly, during his many years residence in the "Royal City" of the east, with *any irregularity, tampering, or interference with, the ballot box.* Our contemporary has drawn on its imagination, and manufactured the yarn out of the whole cloth. It has now an opportunity to make a clean breast of the alleged ballot box affair. But cowardlike, it will shirk doing so—for it cannot, nor can any one else. Now for the proof, Mr. *Colonist*, or again stand forth as uttering a deliberate, wilful falsehood.

Spring Ridge Baptist Chapel.

The new mission chapel at Spring Ridge, lately erected by the Baptist congregation, was formally opened Sunday afternoon last. The exercises in connection with the dedication were of a very interesting nature, and were listened to by a large congregation, the house being well filled. A very appropriate sermon was preached by the Rev. W. Baker. Rev. Dr. Reid, and Rev. Mr. Ladner took part in the services. A short historical sketch of the Sunday school was read by the superintendent, which showed that very satisfactory progress had been made since the organizing of the school, a little over a year ago. Seventy-four names have been registered; some have moved away, and the average attendance for the fourteen months has been twenty-six. The building is 24x40, having an audience room capable of seating 150 persons, with two class rooms in the rear. The cost of the building and lot is about $1150 of which only about $490 remain unpaid. The school is now provided with a comfortable new building, a new organ, library and papers.

A Liberal Association.

By reference to advertisement in another column it will be observed that a meeting is called for next Saturday evening, at 7:30 o'clock, of all those whose views on the public questions of the day are not in accord with the present Dominion government. The meeting is to be held in Oliver's Hall, Denny's new block, opposite the Driard House, Broad street. It is rumored that a candidate will be selected at the meeting that will command the esteem and the votes of a majority of the electors of the Victoria electoral division. There should be a large turnout of electors—as no doubt there will be—who claim the right of thinking and acting independently of party, and who prefer country to party always.

San Francisco Items.

The Geary street cable road was the scene of another explosion on Sunday night. Another dummy was wrecked to atoms, but was speedily replaced by another.

The schooner Greyhound from Tahiti, brought news of the total loss of the British bark Astrican from Astoria, Oregon, for England on a coral reef of Moturawaves Island of the Tuamotu group, Dec., 17th. The crew numbering 18, men reached Tahiti safely. The Greyhound brought them to this city. [illegible]

A dispatch received by the Merchants' Exchange to-day report the total loss of the bark Austria, off Cape Flattery. The vessel left here January 31st bound to Tacoma. Whether she was on her outward voyage or return to this city was not stated. She was owned by A. M. Simpson. The crew were all saved.

Sequel to Fire Inquest.

An assault case, arising out of the fire inquest, occurred on Sunday. Mr. D. J. McLean, whose premises were burned, and upon whom it was sought to fasten a suspicion of incendiarism, appeared in the police court this morning to answer to a charge of assaulting Sigismund Scheon, a witness at the investigation. From the evidence it appeared that McLean had purchased some articles in Scheon's grocery, and invited the latter to his house on Sunday to receive payment. The confiding Scheon went to McLean's, but growing suspicious that he was being waylaid, refused to enter. McLean then struck him over the head with a stick, inflicting a slight scalp wound. He was fined $15 and $2 costs.

The Snow Blockade.

The snow storm appears to have spent itself at last. It began in eastern Canada and the States fully a month since and has gradually worked its way Pacificwards. The oldest inhabitant in the east does not remember such a snow fall. Railway communication was interrupted in all directions. The Canadian Pacific has fared no worse than the Northern Pacific, which for weeks has likewise been demoralized. Now that the weather has moderated we may expect rapid and certain transmission of mails and passengers across the continent.

Passengers and Mails.

A telegram from Port Moody states that the eastern express will arrive at 6 o'clock this evening, having on board seventy-five passengers and all delayed mails. Immediately upon the transference of passengers and mails, the Princess Louise will leave for Victoria, and may be expected to reach here about 2 or 3 in the morning. The mails for the past ten days will therefore be distributed to-morrow morning.

From the North.

The steamer Maude, Capt. Myers, arrived from the north at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The passengers on board for Victoria were: Mrs. Snow, Fort Simpson; J. Rudlin, Metlakahtla; H. Gawthrop, Inverness. There is little news of importance to report. The weather has been extremely rough, with heavy snowfall and severe frost. The Skeena was frozen over.

Gems of British Columbia.

Ladies who have had their children's photographs taken at Mrs. R. Maynard's Studio during last year, 1886, and have not received one of her yearly gems through the mail or otherwise, can do so by calling at the studio, Douglas street.

The Concordia.

An entire new programme to-night, Billy DeOme's farce, "Fun After Dark," and Mulligan and Kidd's laughable act, "Tricks Exposed." Misses Goodwin and Chapman in their latest bits, with a new full orchestra.

Drowned.

Andrew Hansen, an employe on the new canal being cut between Lake Union and Lake Washington, near Seattle, was drowned by breaking through the ice. He was 19 years of age and a native of Denmark.

PIANOS.

We have a few Pianos sent us on consignment, which we will sell CHEAP.

British Columbia Stationery Co.
Next door to Post Office.

—Money saved by having your plans made by FISHER, the ARCHITECT.

PERSONALS.

Mr. A. W. Vowell left for Donald this morning.

Mr. G. W. Grant, architect, has removed to New Westminster, where he will open an office.

Chas. Hayward, jr., is rapidly recuperating in the balmy air of Southern California.

Mr. and Mrs. Abbott have gone up to Vancouver.

H. R. Ives, Montreal; H. A. Brownfield, Snohomish; E. J. Doyle, San Francisco, are at the Driard.

Mr. J. P. Planta arrived in town last night. His reading of the political horoscope is that he will have the privilege of writing M. P. after his name when the election is over.

Miss Abbott and maid, Miss Annandale, Grace Verone, Wm Pruette, F Michelena, Signor Montegriffo and wife Walter Allen, Sig Tomasi and Wm Broderick of the opera troupe are registered at the Driard.

Mr. J. T. Bransfield, of Juneau, is in the city. He reports the mining industry as unusually promising, preparations being on foot for active operations in the spring on several new works of magnitude. Two 160-stamp mills, for the Alaska Milling and Mining Co., and the Boston Co., will be erected, and other individual enterprises of a less pretentious character, will be shoved forward. The whole country is full of quartz and there are known to be, besides the Treadwell mine, mountains of low grade ore that can be worked profitably. On Admiralty Inlet there is a ledge three thousand feet wide. Mr. Bransfield goes down to Portland but will return north again on an early steamer.

Passengers by Starr to-day: Emma Abbott Opera Co of 46 people, J Connors, Miss Lee, Miss Birdsall, C Macdonald, W Oliver, W L Graham, Nicholson, W Harrington, Teattle, Lovejoy, F Bartley, W Van Custer, Higgins, M J Davis, L R Shaw, M Evans, C Ross, F Porter, D W Lake, J Glackey, Dr Duran, J E Reid, C B Reynolds.

MARINE.

The Geo. W. Elder, Capt. Ackley, arrived from San Francisco at 9 last night. She brought 100 tons of freight for this port. The wrecked bark, at Flattery reef, was sighted in passing.

The ship Ocean King, 2435 tons, now at San Pedro, will return to Nanaimo at once for another cargo of coal for the former port.

The British iron bark Braemer, 1035 tons, now at San Francisco, has been chartered by a Bay City firm to load lumber at Burrard Inlet for Iquique.

The Geo. W. Elder arrived at 9 o'clock last evening. On her down trip last time she lost her foretopmast and the maintop was sprung, besides shipping large quantities of water. The injury has been repaired.

The bark ashore at Cape Flattery is the Austria, Capt. Delano, from San Francisco for Tacoma. She went ashore on the 30th ult. during a heavy gale, and is a total loss. All hands were saved, and the crew are now on the wreckage taken ashore at Ozette.

F. Webb Drowned.

On Monday morning, F. Webb was drowned in the Fraser when going on the ice from New Westminster to his rancho on the North Arm. His two companions tried to dissuade him from going to the south of the first island, but failed to shake his purpose, and after he left them he was seen to break through three or four times, and finally disappeared below the ice. His body was afterwards recovered. Webb was about 35 years of age, and had been engaged with Ewen & Wise in the cannery business.

A Liberal Grant.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—The Senate has passed, without debate, twin bills appropriating $21,000,000 for modern ordnance and coast fortification.

Victoria Theatre.

ENGAGEMENT EXTRAORDINARY!

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday

Feb. 8, 9 and 10.

The management respectfully beg to announce the first appearance in Victoria of the famous

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TUESDAY—Verdi's Master-Work,
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Meeting of Electors.

A MEETING OF SUCH OF THE ELECTORS of the Electoral District of Victoria as are not in accord with the present Dominion Government will be held at

OLIVER'S ACADEMY HALL,
Denny's Block, Broad Street,
Opposite the Driard Hotel,
ON SATURDAY NEXT,
At 7:30 p. m., for the purpose of organizing
A Liberal Association.
Victoria, Feb. 8, 1887. feb8 1d

Underwriters' Sale.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,
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Have received instructions from CAPTAIN DURDON to sell by

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feb8 td

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AUCTION

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The contents of Twelve Bedrooms, Sitting Rooms and Kitchen, consisting of Double and single Bedroom Suites, Blankets, Pillows, Carpets, Blinds, Lamps, Parlor Stoves, Sofas, Chairs, Tables, Crockery, Tinware, &c., &c.

jan31 4t GEO. BYRNES, Auctioneer.

AUCTION

Re Kwong Lee Estate.

POSTPONED.

The Sale of the Book Accounts of the above Estate advertised to be sold at Kwong Lee's Store, Cormorant street, Victoria, on the 22d January is postponed until 10th February, 1887.

By order. G. BYRNES, Auctioneer. jan 21

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Doors open at 7:30 p. m., to commence at 8. Tickets $1: Gentlemen and Ladies. feb8 td

Municipal Notice.

Hackmen, Expressmen and Draymen are hereby notified to obtain their Licences at the City Hall forthwith, or they will be proceeded against under the Bylaw.

JAMES D. ROBINSON, C. M. C.
City Hall, 5th February, 1887. feb8

MUNICIPAL.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED TILL

Wednesday, the 9th inst.,

At Four o'clock p. m., for the supply of

Nails, Lumber & Coal.

Forms of Tender can be had on application at the office of the undersigned.

JAS. D. ROBINSON, City Clerk.
City Hall, 4th February, 1887. feb4

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